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DEFENSE PASS TO HQ AFSC ANDREWS AFB

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: UK AWACS NATO MILI OCON
SUBJECT: NATO AEW PROGRAM OFFICE (NAPO)

REF: STATE 88853

1. WE PASSED LETTER CONTAINED REFTEL ON 21 APRIL TO
CORNFORD, CHIEF OF DEFENCE PROCUREMENT, MOD.

2. CORNFORD IN REPLY HAS WRITTEN TO POL-MIL ATTACHE AS
FOLLOWS: QUOTE THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF 21ST APRIL.

YOU WILL BY NOW KNOW THAT SIR JOHN KILLICK WROTE
TO PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES TO NATO, ALSO ON 21ST
APRIL, SAYING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT WE WERE VERY
READY TO LEAVE MOST OF THE BRITISH STAFF ON LOAN TO THE
NATO AEW PROGRAMME OFFICE IN POST FOR THE TIME BEING TO
ENSURE CONTINUITY IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE, AND THAT I
REITERATED THIS AT CNAD RECENTLY. I WOULD ADD ONLY THAT,
AS YOUR MESSAGE ACKNOWLEDGES, THE NIMROD PROGRAMME DOES
REQUIRE EXPERIENCED PERSONNEL AND THESE MUST BE MADE
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AVAILABLE PROMPTLY IF WE ARE TO AVOID ADDING TO THE
DELAYS WHICH THE PROGRAMME HAS HAD TO ACCEPT ALREADY.
FURTHER, IT IS CLEARLY SENSIBLE TO BEGIN NOW TO ADJUST
THE NAPO COMPLEMENT TO REFLECT THE NEW SITUATION. WE
SHALL CERTAINLY DO OUR BEST TO AVOID COMPLICATING THIS
PROCESS - AND ARE, I MAY SAY, GRATEFUL TO THE UNITED
STATES AUTHORITIES FOR THE PROMPT OFFER OF ADDITIONAL

STAFF MADE IN THE COURSE OF HIGH LEVEL GROUP MEETING ON
5TH MAY. YOURS EVER, CLIFF END QUOTE.

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